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NEW COUNTY AND FREE BRIDGE FORM KEYNOTE

Charleroi Delegation
Makes Visit to
Monessen

TRIP THROUGH TWO MILLS

Banquet Follows at the Grand
Hotel at Which Time Mat-
ters Are Talked Over

A new county and a free bridge was the keynote of a good fellowship meeting at Monessen last night, where a large delegation of the Charleroi Business Men's Association went to inspect some of the big industrial plants and incidentally lunch and talk with their neighbors. About forty of the Charleroi business men and their friends were in attendance, and through the courtesy of Supt. Muckley of the Page Woven Fence and Wire company and Supt. Smiley of the American Sheet and Tin Plate mill and a corps of affable assistants, were shown through these two plants and viewed in detail the operations of making the best woven wire fence in the world and the manufacture of tin plate which, until the passage of the famous McKinney bill, was an inconsiderable product in the United States.

Among the Page officials who conducted the party through that plant was Ben Owens of Charleroi, one of the leading office men of the establishment. There huge 800 pound red hot steel billets were passed through successive stages until they were drawn into wire of various sizes from the fine single strands employed in making steel cables to the sizes used in the manufacture of fencing. It was a bewildering sight. In one department were huge looms weaving wire fence as rapidly as a loom weaves cloth, and whirling machines that converted wire into barbed wire fencing more rapidly than it takes to tell it. In this plant is to be seen the highest achievements of mechanical art and the marvels of machinery.

From the Page mill the company proceeded to the American Sheet and Tin plate mill, where it takes many millions of dollars of an investment to manufacture a plate of tin capable of being converted into a milk pan. This is also a mammoth concern, where huge steel slabs are cut into lengths, heated and passed in and out through rolls until thin enough to be coated with tin. From the time the steel slabs are cut and heated it is two weeks before a single plate is ready for market, and many and varied are the processes it has to go through until it emerges from its final bath of molten tin and palm oil. In the finishing room it is cut into sizes and packed according to demand. There workmen were engaged in packing small tin plates in hermetically sealed cases for trade in the Orient—China, Japan, Madagascar, Bombay and Calcutta. Much of the product is sold to the Standard Oil company for its export trade, and empty cans from Monessen made tin are to be found in every quarter of the globe, used by natives of the Orient and elsewhere for cooking and household utensils.

At the Grand Hotel Landlord P. M. Dwyer prepared a most delectable menu, which was nicely served. At the conclusion of the repast Hugh E.

Will Dedicate Church Organ

The program for the dedication of the new pipe organ at St. Leonard's Catholic church, Monessen, next Sunday has been prepared. The program will be entirely musical and will be rendered under the direction of the choir leader, A. E. Schiffer. Only the best of music will be sung. The organ was installed at a cost of \$3,000. It is an excellent one, containing a double manual and has 628 pipes. It will be the first pipe organ for any Monessen church.

TENER AT PITTSBURG

Governor Attended Ban-
quet of Elks and
Gives Talk

Gov. John K. Tener took a brief vacation from his executive duties at the State Capital yesterday evening long enough to come to Pittsburgh to attend the fourth annual banquet given by Pittsburgh Lodge No. 11 B. P. O. Elks at the Fort Pitt Hotel. Walter Gaither, his private secretary, also came with him and together they returned to Harrisburg this morning. The banquet was the most pretentious ever held by the Pittsburgh lodge, and August Hemann, the grand exalted ruler, as well as other notables in Elksdom attended. Tom P. Sloan, J. E. Masters and D. R. Hornell attended as representatives of the Charleroi lodge.

Among the toasts was one given by Gov. Tener on "Elk Patriotism." He said he was glad to see such a good representation and especially glad to see those from the best in the world, which was of course Charleroi.

"THE THIEF" AT COYLE NEXT WEEK

The phenomenal success, "The Thief," is not a problem play, as that term is known, but it lays bare certain truths of married life which pierce the heart with their human appeal. Wedded couples on small incomes, as well as the wealthy, should see "The Thief" which teaches that it is better to be content with our portion than covet the frills and finery of our neighbors.

At present "The Thief" should be as successful as during its two years' run at the Lyceum Theatre, New York. A cast of distinguished players, many of them original creators of their roles, will be seen when "The Thief" comes to the Coyle Theatre next Tuesday evening.

Fergus, Esq. officiated as toastmaster and called upon various ones present for remarks. Among those who responded were President John B. Schafer of the Charleroi Business Men's Association, Messrs. Muckley, Smiley, Culler and McElroy of Monessen, C. H. Truxal of Belle Vernon, J. H. Bowers, E. C. Niver and W. S. James of Charleroi.

CHICKENS ARE TAKEN

Rev. Hackett Loses Val-
uable Fowls By
Thieves

Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, who is a chicken fancier, is minus 13 good fowls as the result of a raid made on his coop Wednesday night. The chickens were of the Rhode Island Red variety. They were killed in the coop as shown plainly by feathers and blood on the ground.

Rev. Hackett had a coop of 23 chickens, and many good laying hens. The best were taken by thieves. A few nights ago the coop of M. Columbia on Shady avenue was robbed, and about 20 chickens taken. Previous to that time there were several burglaries in various parts of the country reported.

YOUNG MAN DIES OF TUBERCULOSIS

Clyde Phalan Succumbs to
Ravages of White Plague
This Morning

Clyde Warren Phalan, 24 years and four months old, the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Phalan of Prospect avenue, died at 10:55 o'clock today at his home of tuberculosis. He leaves his parents and two sisters, Mrs. Howard Field and Miss Ella Phalan. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Clyde Phalan was a well known young man of Charleroi. He was employed at the steel plant at Donora until December 6, when he was forced to relinquish the position on account of failing health.

CHOIR ONE OF THE MOST NOTED

It is seldom that a good chorus of male voices is to be heard in a large city, let alone in a smaller town like Charleroi; therefore the concert to be given by the Mountain Ash choir on next Monday evening at Coyle Theatre, will attract more than usual interest. The Mountain Ash choir is one of the most noted singing organizations in the world, being famed by the excellence of the music. This morning the reservation of tickets began at Pipers' Pharmacy and seats are going fast.

Acheson Endorses Tener Plan
The Washington Board of Trade has endorsed Governor Tener's \$50,000,000 road plan for the State of Pennsylvania. Former Congressman Ernest F. Acheson, whom Mr. Tener defeated for renomination, offered the resolution of endorsement.

Typewriter on Free Trial
If you are in the market for a typewriter we would be glad to put you in a visible Remington on free trial. We carry a complete line of papers and supplies. Remington agency, Night's Book Store. 1701

New Dance. Three Step. Dan- cing School

Prof. Oatman will teach a New Dance on Monday night at Dancing school. Never been danced before in this section. Class 7:30, social dance 8:45. Come and learn to dance in two lessons as others have. 1684

John Guggie, Jr., who is attending Pittsburgh College, is making good progress in his studies at that institution. He writes his father, John Guggie of Fallowfield avenue that he received first honor card for both the month of December and January. The young man entered the college last September.

We ship everywhere. McDermott's, Fifth street. 1701

Skelly's clean sweep sale now going on at Monessen. 1701

NEW COUNTY COMMITTEE

Civic League Asks That
Each Town Name
One Man

A circular letter to Business Men's Associations, Civic Leagues or private citizens in towns interested in the new county movement has been sent out by C. H. Truxal, secretary of the Belle Vernon Civic League. The letter is to the effect that it is desired to have one man appointed from each town to be a member of a committee on statistics. It is as follows:

"At a meeting of the Civic League of Belle Vernon on Friday, February 17, when reports from several representatives from various towns were presented, it was decided to ask civic organizations in the Monongahela valley or the citizens of each where there is no such organization, to name one person as a member of a statistics committee or commission. This committee is to gather data on population and assessed valuation of the territory included in the proposed new county and probable cost of forming such a new county. When appointed, the committee will be called together at some central point and a report formulated. If deemed advisable a general meeting of citizens in the district affected will then be called and the matter presented before them for action. Only in this manner can the proposition be taken up intelligently. Your organization is urged to name a member of the committee at once, notifying me of the same at the earliest possible moment. If a county bill is presented in the present session of the Legislature it will have to be prepared quickly. Please understand, however, that you being appointed a member of this committee does not mean pledging your support or lending your approval to the project. This is done merely that the people may know whether or not a new county would be feasible. When they see the facts before them they can be depended upon to adopt the course that will mean the greatest good to the greatest number.

Very truly yours,
C. H. Truxal."

NEW STORE ROOM BEING FITTED UP

R. O. Vetter, the well known cleaning and dyeing merchant, has just got his new clothing establishment at 415 Fallowfield avenue in order, and begun operation there. Mr. Vetter has installed considerable new equipment and with store resources throughout will be in better position to handle his ever increasing business.

Notice to Ice Consumers

Beginning March 1, 1911, the following are the rates at which we will furnish pure distilled water ice in Charleroi and Monessen for the season of 1911.

To Butchers—1. Packed in the refrigerator, 75c Per Ck. 2. Delivered on curb, 60c Per Ck.

To Ice Cream Manufacturers, 60c Per Ck.
Stores, all classes, one cake or more, 90c Per Ck.

Stores, all classes, less than one cake, 35c Per Hundred.
Domestic Trade, 50c Per Hundred.

Banks, Dry Goods Stores, Pool Rooms, Barber Shops, where ice is used for drinking purposes, 10 lb. 8c; 20 lb. or more 60c. Per Hundred, daily delivery.

Factories, for drinking purposes, 35c Per Hundred.

Ice to consumers on platform at the plant 60c, Per Ck.

Less than one cake, 25c Per Hundred.

It is our purpose to handle the retail trade direct from our plant this season, and we will make a special effort to give satisfactory service.

Valley Crystal Ice and Storage Co., 1684
Lock 4, Pa.

Etta M. Work, principal of the Second Street school, has been called home by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Annie Richardson at Indiana.

STRANGE THINGS DONE IN MASCELLO AFFAIR

Juvenile Court
Investigating

Nellie Roley, a 15-year-old girl, was committed to the juvenile court yesterday on a charge of incorrigibility. Nellie's mother is dead and her father is sick, and as the girl had been keeping company not conducive to her welfare, she was committed to the court at Washington. Miss Elizabeth Christman, county probation officer, came over and took the girl to the Detention Home.

\$20,000 FOR CHARLEROI

Money Appropriated in
Bill to Begin Work
on Building

In the sundry civil appropriation bill presented to the House of Representatives at Washington yesterday by Chairman Tawney, of the committee, there was an appropriation of \$20,000 for the new Charleroi Federal building. The money is to be used in beginning work. For Monongahela \$22,000 was appropriated.

SOCIAL FOLLOWS BUSINESS SESSION

The Lady Maccabees had a very enjoyable time after their regular meeting last evening, being planned for Lady Julia Sullivan, who was presented with a very beautiful belt pin, as a token of appreciation for favors granted. The presentation speech was made by Lady Laura Eckel.

Visitors were present from Grandview Hive and were high in their praise of the work done by the Charleroi guard team. Refreshments were served. New members are being initiated each meeting night.

ROYAL ARCANUM TO HOLD EUCHRE

A stag euchre for members of the Royal Arcanum will be held by Charleroi Council on Monday evening, February 27, in the P. H. C. hall. The affair will begin at 8 o'clock, and it is expected that a good time will be enjoyed.

Another Meeting

Members of the Baptist Church league team held a meeting last night to talk of plans for the coming season. Another meeting will be held Monday night of next week at 7 o'clock at the Undertaking rooms of Reeves and Reeves.

Gold-Churn butterine, 17 cents per pound. We give coloring. McDermott's. 170-t

Skelly's clean sweep sale now going on at Monessen. 170-t

Colorado Officers Can-
not Secure Requisition
Papers

BIG COSTS ON THE CASE

In Again, Out Again Perfor-
mance Expensive Matter
for Somebody

After having been arrested, released and rearrested, all for an offense supposedly committed out in Colorado, Jack Mascarello, a Charleroi, Italian is out on the streets again, and if he makes good use of his talents will make a noise like disappearing. Funny things have been going on during the past several days in an alleged Black Hand case which is said to have originated in Charleroi or Pueblo and sensationalized at the later place.

About two weeks ago a man who gave his name as Tony Centanni dropped into town and stating that one Jack Mascarello was wanted in Colorado for attempting to blackmail him, had Chief of Police Albright to arrest him. To prove that he was the blackmailed Centanni showed newspaper clippings containing his picture and description of how one Sam Falconi, who was also known in Charleroi, was killed. Mascarello was arrested and placed in the lockup. Then a telegram was sent to the Pueblo authorities asking what disposition should be made of him, and the word came back to hold him. Hold him they did, and went on as to remove Mascarello to the county jail at Washington. The same day he was sent away came a message to release him, "requisition papers could not be secured." By that time about \$20 in costs had piled up. It is stated, but the man was released.

Nothing happened for a day or two, when another message came to again arrest Mascarello, that requisition papers would be forthcoming. He was placed in the toils and the western people notified by telegram. After he had been held for nearly three days, yesterday afternoon late came the message to release the man again. There was still more trouble with the requisition papers.

There was no other alternative than to release him, and where Mascarello is now, is a question. It has cost the borough something to keep him and Italians here have contributed something for attorney fees. They are now waiting for thanks and sympathy.

Farewell Party

Mrs. O. Workman gave a farewell party in honor of her sister, Miss Margaret Shehan, at her home on McKean avenue. About 30 guests were present. The evening was spent in playing games, singing and dancing. A dainty lunch was served and her friends departed wishing her a safe journey. Miss Shehan, who has been visiting here for the past three months leaves, Monday for her home in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

J. M. Calvin, formerly editor of the Donora Daily News, has accepted a position with the Monongahela Times as solicitor. Mr. Calvin is well known among newspaper men in the valley who confidently believe he will make good in his new position.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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For County Commissioner
JOHN J. CAIRNS,
ROSCOE, PA.

Primaries, Saturday, June 3, 1911.

The Public Pays

By the decision of the United States Railroad Commission the proposed advance in freight rates that was to be general has been prohibited. After advancing the wages of the most of their employees the big railroad systems sought to recoup themselves and shift the increased expense upon the "ultimate consumer" by an advance of freight rates all around. This would have entailed an additional revenue of about \$27,000,000, it is estimated, not a high rate prorata, when divided among the entire population of the country, but as this advance would have caused wholesalers to raise their rates to retailers, and the latter to tuck on some additional cost to the consumer, it will be seen that the "ultimate consumer" would have gotten hold of the poker at its hottest point. Hence the refusal of the Commission to permit the advance is of great importance to the public.

In a way the railroads will come back on the public by adopting a policy of retrenchment and cutting off proposed improvements and expansions. This causes a cessation of industry, which in turn affects the general business of the country. By laying off part of their force the railroads reduce their extra expense in payrolls caused by the increase in wages. In refusing to place orders for steel rails, locomotives and cars, the manufacturing capacity of the country is reduced, and more or less idleness of labor entailed. Thus the railroads are enabled to recoup to some extent their increase in wages, and the public, if protected from an increase in freight rates, gets it in the neck in the way of decreased labor and business. Every increase in the cost of production is borne by the public.

All Live Territory

Those who may be opposed to the new county movement on the grounds that it would increase taxation, should remember that all the territory involved is live territory; that is, it is producing in the way of active mills, mines and manufacturing plants. There is no worked out coal lands of any consequence, or undeveloped coal that is likely to lie dormant for any length of time. This gives the property a high assessed valuation, and as all property is now assessed at about its established rate, it is more than likely that the proposed new county would have a lower rate of taxation than any of the counties which would give up territory for the new organization.

Westmoreland county, for example, is a large county, and has a lot of unproductive territory that does not contribute much of the general expenses. This has to be borne by the productive sections, which involves a high tax rate. On the other hand, Allegheny county has more productive territory than any other county except Philadelphia, and the tax rate is low in consequence frequently as low as half a mill. This is due to the large industrial developments which make a big valuation and a low tax rate. Another thing to consider is that in the territory of the proposed new county is a population of about 150,000 people, so that according to all precedent a big population and a high valuation would make a low tax rate.

Everything goes to show that a new county would be a saving in taxation and trouble to the taxpayers of this district, and it will require united and unselfish effort on the part of all the people if the object is attained.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Watch the politicians begin to blossom out suddenly with the most wonderful and biggest variety of good qualities that could ever exist.

Eggs may be lowering in price alright, but nevertheless "setlings" of eggs from prize winning chickens are still costing \$8 and \$10. And they wouldn't taste any better than the 24-cent a dozen kind.

There are lots of things we would prefer not to have, but we would rather not have the Black Hand.

Beneath the moon he told his love—
The color left her cheeks;
But on the shoulder of his coat
It showed up plain for weeks.

It seems the Pueblo, Colo., police and requisition papers can't get acquainted.

Charleroi people are getting a good opinion of the way they do things out in Colorado not very fast.

Argentine insistently declares it believes in peace by having still a bigger dreadnaught built.

It is not that the groundhog made a mistake, or is trying to pull the wool over our eyes, but he is a victim of misunderstanding about the weather.

Some people talk dangerous about the barefoot dance because they are afraid it won't be given.

He said he could not read her face,
But kissed her then, instead.
The feat had been accomplished
Her face was surely red.

Japan has ordered 100,000 tons of rice. Can't Capt. Hobson discover that as another reason to prepare for war with them?

PICKED UP IN PASSING

"I was only six years old in my native land in Austria when the war of 1866 broke out between that country and Prussia," said W. A. Miksch, superintendent of the decorating department of the Macbeth-Evans chimney factory. "It was my first year at school, and after hostilities were declared all the scholars at school were employed for two weeks picking lint for use in dressing wounds in the hospitals. Then school was dismissed and the enemy invaded our country. "As you know the war lasted but six weeks and resulted in the utter defeat of Austria in the one great battle of Koniggratz. Well do I remember that battle, as our family was at my grandfather's farm that day about twelve miles from the scene of hostilities, and the roar of battle was plainly heard. We were out in the field pulling flax, and I was carrying water. When the cannonading was particularly loud the elder people would throw up their hands and groans, as each volley meant the killing and wounding of hundreds. "When the Prussians came in and took possession of the country we soon learned that the people were safer with the invaders in possession than with our own soldiers. The Prussians never looted and paid for everything they took. Our own troops were the real vandals of the war."

"Some years ago when rural mail routes were unknown in the valley," related a Charleroi man the other day, "a burly farmer strode into a valley postoffice, where the postmaster had just taken his office.

"Have you got any letter for Mike Howe?" he asked.

The new postmaster looked him up and down.

"For whom?" he snapped.

"Mike Howe," repeated the farmer.

The postmaster turned aside.

"I don't understand," he returned stiffly.

"Don't understand?" roared the applicant. "Can't you understand plain English? I asked if you had any mail for Mike Howe?"

"Well, I haven't!" snorted the postmaster. "Neither have I a letter for anybody else's cow."

"Few people are aware of the magnitude or wide range of the production of our plant," said Supt. W. S. James of the Macbeth-Evans Glass factory yesterday. "In the factory here we make over 6,000 different articles, and are constantly increasing at the rate of from twelve to fifteen new patterns a week. In the matter of lenses we make everything from a lens for the smallest bicycle lamp to the largest battleship searchlight. We are working on some government contracts now, and the special inspector who tests all the

TUCK-A-WAY YOUR Winter Clothes

Our spring stock
has arrived and
we are showing
all the latest styles
in 1911 patterns.

Tan is the popular shade for this season. We have a complete line in all shades all styles and all sizes and a price to suit everyone. Get in line early and be first to choose from our complete line for your new spring suit.

L. COLLINS.

215 Fallowfield Charleroi, Pa.

lenses is in the community for that purpose. "We have perhaps the most cosmopolitan lot of working people in the country. In one department I noticed the other day that twenty different languages and dialects were spoken. We employ about 1,400 people in our factory here, and our weekly payroll runs from \$12,000 to \$14,000."

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Artic Ice Company,
Charleroi, Pa.

1701

BASEBALL BINGLES

Don't miss it.

League meeting Tuesday evening.

Have you signed your contract yet?

Frank Buchanan is getting his heaving apparatus in winning form.

"Doc" Patton has not yet attached his signature.

Captain Bob Hess of the Washington Presbyterians is leaping about like a two-year-old. Watch him.

"Abie" Levinson, who performed with the Champion Cincinnati Red Stockings in 1869, has finally promulgated with the Lutherans. He is a comer.

Cap. Wertz dashes around the block twelve times per diem to render his wind commodious.

Remember

the date and the name
and the number of
the place

413 McKean Ave.

Charleroi, Pa.

SPECIAL

Men's and Boys'
Wool Gloves

50c Values 25c

We Need Money

to pay our bills and we want to discount all bills for our spring stock, and in order to do so, we are offering to the public our entire stock of Clothing, Overcoats, Raincoats and Boys' Clothing.

All Suits, Overcoats, Raincoats

Will be Sold at One-Half Price

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413 McKean Ave.

Charleroi, Pa.

SPECIAL

Men's and Boys'
Coat Sweaters

50c, 75c Values 29c

the true value at the opening of the winter season. It will pay you to buy an overcoat and suit at these prices for your next season's wear. The price is right, the style is right, the time is right to buy now. The clothing we are offering at this sale is the celebrated Woodhull, Goodale & Bull Union Made and the well known Alco make. These lines are both guaranteed by the makers and also by our own personal guarantee.

Boy's suits and Overcoats One-Half Price

\$2.50 Suits or overcoats one-half price	\$1.25
\$3.00 Suits or overcoats one-half price	1.50
\$3.50 Suits or overcoats one-half price	1.75
\$4.00 Suits or overcoats one-half price	2.00
\$4.50 Suits or overcoats one-half price	2.25
\$5.00 Suits or overcoats one-half price	2.50
\$5.50 Suits or overcoats one-half price	2.75
\$6.00 Suits or overcoats one-half price	3.00
\$6.50 Suits or overcoats one-half price	3.25
\$7.00 Suits or overcoats one-half price	3.50

Men's Suits and Overcoats One-Half Price

\$6.00 Men's Suits or overcoats one-half price	\$3.00
\$8.00 Men's Suits or overcoats one-half price	4.00
\$10.00 Men's Suits or overcoats one-half price	5.00
\$12.00 Men's Suits or overcoats one-half price	6.00
\$14.00 Men's Suits or overcoats one-half price	7.00
\$15.00 Men's Suits or overcoats one-half price	7.50
\$16.00 Men's Suits or overcoats one-half price	8.00
\$18.00 Men's Suits or overcoats one-half price	9.00
\$20.00 Men's Suits or overcoats one-half price	10.00
\$22.50 Men's Suits or overcoats one-half price	11.25

Men's Dress Pants

Men's \$2.00 Dress Pants now	\$1.48
Men's \$2.50 Dress Pants now	1.79
Men's \$3.00 Dress Pants now	2.24
Men's \$3.50 Dress Pants now	2.48
Men's \$4.00 Dress Pants now	2.98
Men's \$4.50 Dress Pants now	3.19
Men's \$5.00 Dress Pants now	3.39
Men's \$5.50 Dress Pants now	3.48
Men's \$6.00 Dress Pants now	3.74

Men's and Boy's Coat Sweaters

50c and 75c values now	29c
\$1.00 values now	74c
1.25 values now	84c
1.50 values now	\$1.14
2.00 values now	1.39
2.50 values now	1.59
3.00 values now	1.79

Men's Dress Shirts

50c and 75c values now	39c
\$1.00 values now	69c
1.50 and 2.00 values now	\$1.14
50c boy's knee pants	39c
75c boy's knee pants	59c
\$1.00 boy's knee pants	74c
Trunks, pags and suit cases	
25 per cent reduction.	

Men's and Boy's Knit Gloves

25c values now	17c
50c values now	25c
50c boy's cowboy gloves	29c
50c Nancy Hank's suspenders	39c
75c Nancy Hank's suspenders	48c
\$1.50 Sweet-Orr Yellow Ticket Pants	\$1.35
1.00 men's jean pants	69c
One lot of men's \$1.50 and \$1.75 dress pants	\$1.14

Men's Soft and Stiff Hats

\$1.00 values now	79c
1.50 values now	\$1.09
2.00 values now	1.39
2.50 values now	1.59
3.00 values now	2.39
Men's 10c socks	5c
Large selection of 15c socks	9c
Large selection of 25c socks	17c

Men's Cotton and Wool Underwear

50c and 75c values now	29c
\$1.00 values now	73c
1.50 values now	\$1.09
2.00 value now	1.39
All our 25c and 35c neckties	19c
Big selection of 50c neckties	39c

Men's Leather Gloves

50c and 75c values now	39c
\$1.00 values now	79c
1.50 values now	\$1.09

0c Phoenix mufflers now	29c
50c toques, all colors now	35c
25c men's and boy's caps	15c
50c men's and boy's caps	35c
50c Sweet-Orr working pants	44c

Mark your calendar, set your alarm clock, tie a string on your finger, do most anything that will remind you that our great money-saving sale

Will Open Friday, Feb. 24th

We always "make good" at these special sales and old patrons have learned to bank on our statements, while new patrons who come with questioning looks soon change their expression to approving smiles. Nothing reserved at this sale. Nothing put aside as too good. It's a

Closing Out of the Best We Have

We consider it good business to close out each season's stock before the next stock arrives and we make a sacrifice to do it. Read these prices and then we will do it.

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Regular 75c silk scarfs in nearly all colors at 48c

Regular 50c
belts, all colors with neat buckles special 35c

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CHARLEROI, PA.

Many Visitors
Supt. J. G. Pentz of the Charleroi Schools this morning announced that on Wednesday, known as special visiting day, there were 475 visits made to the schools. Later in the year a Patrons' Day will be observed, when displays of work done by the pupils during the year will be made. The Charleroi schools are in good shape at the present time and good work is being done.

Held For Court
Marshall Lechin, a Belgium living on Meadow avenue, was held for court last night by Justice of the Peace E. E. Rice on a charge of illegal liquor selling. Information was made upon evidence received by Constable D. F. Mathers of North Charleroi. Bail was placed at \$600. There is some rumor that the charge is to be withdrawn.

Just received a barrel of potato chips, McDermott's Fifth street.

ADOLPH BEIGEL

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\$2.69
For Ladies' Patent \$4.00 Button Shoes

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LOCAL MENTION

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Delicious yellow butterine that others sell for 25c. Our price is 20 cents per pound. McDermott's, Fifth street. 17011

Skelley's clean sweep sale now on at Monessen. 17011

D. M. McCloskey, Esq., has returned from a business trip to Baltimore and Washington, D.C.

Skelley's clean sweep sale now going on at Monessen. 17011

Classified Ads

WANTED—Solicitors for the People's Store. Will pay good salary. 17012

WANTED—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping, family of three adults and one child of year and a half. Location not far from the station in good neighborhood. Address with terms, Box 66, Roscoe Ledger, Roscoe, Pa. 17011

FOR RENT—Six room house with bath on Fifth St. Call at Charleroi Real Estate Agency company over First National Bank. 16911

FOR SALE—Three room house, cement cellar, 50 barrel cistern, water in house. Right on car line. Will sell cheap. Address Lock No. 4, Box 72. 16814

FOR SALE—Five good lots on Meadow avenue, cheap to quick buyer, each lot 40x115 feet, well located for good residences. Charles O. Frye. 16813

FOR RENT—Southern Exposed Front Room, 610 Fifth street. 16611

FOR RENT—Store room and two seven room flats with baths and laundry, on McKean avenue. Inquire Charleroi Savings and Trust company. 16011

FOR RENT—FLAT OF 5 ROOMS AND BATH. HOT AND COLD WATER, STEAM HEAT. APPLY GREENBERGS. 15611

LOST—Bunch of keys. Finder will be rewarded by returning to Mail office. 16311



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H. Melsher
528 Fallowfield Ave.

Ladies
This week is your last chance to buy suits, coats or dresses at reduced prices, don't delay, come soon for time short. We are showing at the same time spring suits, skirts, and lingerie dresses, very latest in the Hobble effects.

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Leading Dry Goods Store
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Better Come Today 1/2 Off

A \$10.00 Overcoat for \$ 5.00
A \$15.00 Overcoat for \$ 7.50
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BARGER'S SPECIALS —for— SATURDAY & MONDAY

Imported China Sugar and Cream Sets, 23c. These are regular 40c values.
We also have a large quantity of Bread Boxes and 25 lb. Sugar Cans. Your choice of either with one can of Empire Baking powder at 50c.
2 lb. bars of pure tallow soap 17c.
10 stamps with each bar. 60 stamps with all 60c tea. 20 stamps with each 25c bottle of extract.
Remember this offer is good for Saturday and Monday only.
NEW LOCATION
BARGERS
409 Fallowfield Ave. Both Phones Charleroi, Pa.

READ THE MAIL

We Must Close Out Our Big Stock of Shoes Regardless of Cost

by the fifteenth of March, as we take hold of our Pittsburg store on April first. Since starting our closing out sale on February 11th our sales have been very heavy and far beyond our expectations, but we still have a very complete stock of every grade of Shoes and Oxfords for men, women, boys and girls, and we are able to serve you and your whole family to your entire satisfaction, at a very small outlay of money considering the quality of shoes. As we said above, our immense stock of high grade footwear must be closed out. You are all familiar with the high standard of shoes carried by us at all times. Every desirable grade of shoes in endless variety from the medium staples up to the finest, and all to be converted into cash. All previous low prices have been cut still deeper so as to make speedy disposal of the goods.

Louis Beigel
FOR GOOD SHOES
419 McKean Ave.
CHARLEROI, PA.

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NEW COUNTY AND FREE BRIDGE FORM KEYNOTE

**Charleroi Delegation
Makes Visit to
Monessen**

TRIP THROUGH TWO MILLS

**Banquet Follows at the Grand
Hotel at Which Time Mat-
ters Are Talked Over**

A new county and a free bridge was the keynote of a good fellowship meeting at Monessen last night, where a large delegation of the Charleroi Business Men's Association went to inspect some of the big industrial plants and incidentally lunch and talk with their neighbors. About forty of the Charleroi business men and their friends were in attendance, and through the courtesy of Supt. Muckley of the Page Woven Fence and Wire company and Supt. Smiley of the American Sheet and Tin Plate mill and a corps of affable assistants, were shown through these two plants and viewed in detail the operations of making the best woven wire fence in the world and the manufacture of tin plate which, until the passage of the famous McKinley bill, was an inconsiderable product in the United States.

Among the Page officials who conducted the party through that plant was Ben Owens of Charleroi, one of the leading office men of the establishment. There huge 800 pound red hot steel billets were passed through successive stages until they were drawn into wire of various sizes, from the fine single strands employed in making steel cables to the sizes used in the manufacture of fencing. It was a bewildering sight. In one department were huge looms weaving wire fence as rapidly as a loom weaves cloth, and whirling machines that converted wire into barbed wire fencing more rapidly than it takes to tell it. In this plant it is to be seen the highest achievements of mechanical art and the marvels of machinery.

From the Page mill the company proceeded to the American Sheet and Tin plate mill, where it takes many millions of dollars of an investment to manufacture a plate of tin capable of being converted into a milk pan. This is also a mammoth concern, where huge steel slabs are cut into lengths, heated and passed in and out through rolls until thin enough to be coated with tin. From the time the steel slabs are cut and heated it is two weeks before a single plate is ready for market, and many and varied are the processes it has to go through until it emerges from its final bath of molten tin and palm oil. In the finishing room it is cut into sizes and packed according to demand. There workmen were engaged in packing small tin plates in hermetically sealed cases for trade in the Orient—China, Japan, Madagascar, Bombay and Calcutta. Much of the product is sold to the Standard Oil company for its export trade, and empty cans from Monessen, made tin are to be found in every quarter of the globe, used by natives of the Orient and elsewhere for cooking and household utensils.

At the Grand Hotel Landlord P. M. Dwyer prepared a most delectable menu, which was nicely served. At the conclusion of the repast Hugh E.

**Will Dedicate
Church Organ**

The program for the dedication of the new pipe organ at St. Bernard's Catholic church, Monessen, next Sunday has been prepared. The program will be entirely musical and will be rendered under the direction of the choir leader, A. E. Schiffer. Only the best of music will be sung. The organ was installed at a cost of \$3,000. It is an excellent one, containing a double manual and has 628 pipes. It will be the first pipe organ for any Monessen church.

TENER AT PITTSBURG

**Governor Attended Ban-
quet of Elks and
Gives Talk**

Gov. John K. Tener took a brief vacation from his executive duties at the State Capital yesterday evening long enough to come to Pittsburgh to attend the fourth annual banquet given by Pittsburgh Lodge No. 11 B. P. O. Elks at the Fort Pitt Hotel. Walter Gaither, his private secretary, also came with him and together they returned to Harrisburg this morning. The banquet was the most pretentious ever held by the Pittsburgh lodge, and August Hemann, the grand exalted ruler, as well as other notables in Elkdom attended. Tom P. Sloan, J. E. Masters and D. R. Hornell attended as representatives of the Charleroi lodge.

Among the toasts was one given by Gov. Tener on "Elk Patriotism." He said he was glad to see such a good representation and especially glad to see those from the best in the world, which was of course Charleroi.

"THE THIEF" AT COYLE NEXT WEEK

The phenomenal success, "The Thief," is not a problem play, as that term is known, but it lays bare certain truths of married life which pierce the heart with their human appeal. Wedded couples on small incomes, as well as the wealthy, should see "The Thief" which teaches that it is better to be content with our portion than covet the frills and finery of our neighbors.

At present "The Thief" should be as successful as during its two years' run at the Lyceum Theatre, New York. A cast of distinguished players, many of them original creators of their roles, will be seen when "The Thief" come to the Coyle Theatre next Tuesday evening.

Fergus, Esq. officiated as toastmaster and called upon various ones present for remarks. Among those who responded were President John B. Schafer of the Charleroi Business Men's Association, Messrs. Muckley, Smiley, Culler and McElroy of Monessen, C. H. Truxal of Belle Vernon, J. H. Bowers, E. C. Niver and W. S. James of Charleroi.

CHICKENS ARE TAKEN

**Rev. Hackett Loses Val-
uable Fowls By
Thieves**

Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, who is a chicken fancier, is minus 13 good fowls as the result of a raid made on his coop Wednesday night. The chickens were of the Rhode Island Red variety. They were killed in the coop as shown plainly by feathers and blood on the ground.

Rev. Hackett had a coop of 23 chickens, and many good laying hens. The best were taken by the thieves. A few nights ago the coop of M. Columbia on Shady avenue was robbed, and about 20 chickens taken. Previous to that time there were several burglaries in various parts of the country reported.

YOUNG MAN DIES OF TUBERCULOSIS

**Clyde Phalan Succumbs to
Ravages of White Plague
This Morning**

Clyde Warren Phalan, 24 years and four months old, the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Phalan of Prospect avenue, died at 10.55 o'clock today at his home of tuberculosis. He leaves his parents and two sisters, Mrs. Howard Field and Miss Ella Phalan. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Clyde Phalan was a well known young man of Charleroi. He was employed at the steel plant at Donora until December 6, when he was forced to relinquish the position on account of failing health.

CHOIR ONE OF THE MOST NOTED

It is seldom that a good chorus of male voices is to be heard in a large city, let alone in a smaller town like Charleroi; therefore the concert to be given by the Mountain Ash choir on next Monday evening at Coyle Theatre, will attract more than usual interest. The Mountain Ash choir is one of the most noted singing organizations in the world, being famed by the excellence of the music. This morning the reservation of tickets began at Pipers' Pharmacy and seats are going fast.

Acheson Endorses Tener Plan

The Washington Board of Trade has endorsed Governor Tener's \$50, 000,000 road plan for the State of Pennsylvania. Former Congressman Ernest F. Acheson, whom Mr. Tener defeated for renomination, offered the resolution of endorsement.

Typewriter on Free Trial

If you are in the market for a Typewriter we would be glad to put you in a visible Remington on free trial. We carry a complete line of papers and supplies. Remington agency, Micht's Book Store. 1701

New Dance. Three Step. Dan- cing School

Prof. Oatman will teach a New Dance on Monday night at Dancing school. Never been danced before in this section. Class 7:30, social dance 8:45. Come and learn to dance in two lessons as others have. 1634

John Guggie, Jr., who is attending Pittsburg College, is making good progress in his studies at that institution. He writes his father, John Guggie of Fallowfield avenue that he received first honor card for both the month of December and January. The young man entered the college last September.

We ship everywhere. McDermott's, Fifth street. 1701

Skelly's clean sweep sale now going on at Monessen. 1701

NEW COUNTY COMMITTEE

**Civic League Asks That
Each Town Name
One Man**

A circular letter to Business Men's Associations, Civic Leagues or private citizens in towns interested in the new county movement has been sent out by C. H. Truxal, secretary of the Belle Vernon Civic League. The letter is to the effect that it is desired to have one man appointed from each town to be a member of a committee on statistics. It is as follows:

"At a meeting of the Civic League of Belle Vernon on Friday, February 17, when reports from several representatives from various towns were presented, it was decided to ask civic organizations in the Monongahela valley or the citizens of each where there is no such organization, to name one person as a member of a statistics committee or commission. This committee is to gather data on population and assessed valuation of the territory included in the proposed new county and probable cost of forming such a new county. When appointed, the committee will be called together at some central point and a report formulated. If deemed advisable a general meeting of citizens in the district affected will then be called and the matter presented before them for action. Only in this manner can the proposition be taken up intelligently. Your organization is urged to name a member of the committee at once notifying me of the same at the earliest possible moment. If a new county bill is presented in the present session of the Legislature it will have to be prepared quickly. Please understand, however, that you being appointed a member of this committee does not mean pledging your support or leading your approval to the project. This is done merely that the people may know whether or not a new county would be feasible. When they see the facts before them they can be depended upon to adopt the course that will mean the greatest good to the greatest number.

Very truly yours,
C. H. Truxal."

NEW STORE ROOM BEING FITTED UP

R. O. Vetter, the well known cleaning and dyeing merchant, has just got his new clothing establishment at 415 Fallowfield avenue in order, and begun operation there. Mr. Vetter has installed considerable new equipment and with store resources throughout will be in better position to handle his ever increasing business.

Notice to Ice Consumers

Beginning March 1, 1911, the following are the rates at which we will furnish pure distilled water ice in Charleroi and Monessen for the season of 1911.

To Butchers—1. Packed in the refrigerator, 75c Per Ck. 2. Delivered on curb, 66c Per Ck.

To Ice Cream Manufacturers, 66c Per Ck.

Stores, all classes, one cake or more, 90c Per Ck.

Stores, all classes, less than one cake, 35c Per Hundred.

Domestic Trade, 50c Per Hundred. Banks, Dry Goods Stores, Pool Rooms, Barber Shops, where ice is used for drinking purposes, 10 lb. 8c; 20 lb. or more 60c. Per Hundred, daily delivery.

Factories, for drinking purposes, 35c Per Hundred.

Ice to consumers on platform at the plant 60c. Per Ck.

Less than one cake, 25c Per Hundred.

It is our purpose to handle the retail trade direct from our plant this season and we will make a special effort to give satisfactory service.

Valley Crystal Ice and Storage Co., 1636 Lock 4, Pa.

Etta M. Work, principal of the Second Street school, has been called home by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Annie Richardson at Indians.

STRANGE THINGS DONE IN MAS CERELLO AFFAIR

**Juvenile Court
Investigating**

Nellie Roley, a 15-year-old girl, was committed to the juvenile court yesterday on a charge of incorrigibility. Nellie's mother, Jean and her father is sick, and as the girl had been keeping company not conducive to her welfare, she was committed to the court at Washington. Miss Elizabeth Christman, county probation officer, came over and took the girl to the Detention Home.

\$20,000 FOR CHARLEROI

**Money Appropriated in
Bill to Begin Work
on Building**

In the sundry civil appropriation bill presented to the House of Representatives at Washington yesterday by Chairman Tawney, of the committee, there was an appropriation of \$20,000 for the new Charleroi Federal building. The money is to be used in beginning work. For Monongahela \$22,000 was appropriated.

SOCIAL FOLLOWS BUSINESS SESSION

The Lady Maccabees had a very enjoyable time after their regular meeting last evening, being planned for Lady Julia Sullivan, who was presented with a very beautiful belt pin, as a token of appreciation for favors granted. The presentation speech was made by Lady Laura Eckel.

Visitors were present from Grandview Hive and were high in their praise of the work done by the Charleroi guard team. Refreshments were served. New members are being initiated each meeting night.

ROYAL ARCANUM TO HOLD EUCHRE

A stag euchre for members of the Royal Arcanum will be held by Charleroi Council on Monday evening, February 27, in the P. H. C. hall. The affair will begin at 8 o'clock, and it is expected that a good time will be enjoyed.

Another Meeting

Members of the Baptist Church league team held a meeting last night to talk of plans for the coming season. Another meeting will be held Monday night of next week at 7 o'clock at the Undertaking rooms of Reeves and Reeves.

Gold-Churn butterine, 17 cents per pound. We give coloring. McDermott's. 1701

Skelly's clean sweep sale now going on at Monessen. 1701

**Colorado Officers Can-
not Secure Requisi-
tion Papers**

BIG COSTS ON THE CASE

**In Again, Out Again Perfor-
mance Expensive Matter
for Somebody**

After having been arrested, released and rearrested, all for an offense supposedly committed out in Colorado, Jack Mascarello, a Charleroi, Italian is out on the streets again, and if he makes good use of his talents will make a noise like disappearing. Funny things have been going on during the past several days in an alleged Black Hand case which is said to have originated in Charleroi or Pueblo and sensationalized at the later place.

About two weeks ago a man who gave his name as Tony Centanni dropped into town and stating that one Jack Mascarello was wanted in Colorado for attempting to blackmail him, had Chief of Police Albright to arrest him. To prove that he was the blackmailed Centanni showed newspaper clippings containing his picture and description of how one Sam Falconi, who was also known in Charleroi, was killed. Mascarello was arrested and placed in the lockup. Then a telegram was sent to the Pueblo authorities asking what disposition should be made of him, and the word came back to hold him. Hold him, they did, and want so far as to remove Mascarello to the county jail at Washington. The same day he was sent away came a message to release him, "requisition papers could not be secured." By that time about \$20 in costs had piled up, it is stated, but the man was released.

Nothing happened for a day or two, when another message came to again arrest Mascarello, that requisition papers would be forthcoming. He was placed in the toils and the western people notified by telegram. After he had been held for nearly three days, yesterday afternoon late came the message to release the man again. There was still more trouble with the requisition papers.

There was no other alternative than to release him, and where Mascarello is now, is a question. It has cost the borough something to keep him and Italians here have contributed something for attorney fees. They are now waiting for thanks and sympathy.

Farewell Party

Mrs. O. Workman gave a farewell party in honor of her sister, Miss Margaret Shehan, at her home on McKean avenue. About 80 guests were present. The evening was spent in playing games, singing and dancing. A dainty lunch was served and her friends departed wishing her a safe journey. Miss Shehan, who has been visiting here for the past three months leaves, Monday for her home in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

J. M. Calvin, formerly editor of the Donora Daily News, has accepted a position with the Monongahela Times as solicitor. Mr. Calvin is well known among newspaper men in the valley who confidently believe he will make good in his new position.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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The Public Pays

By the decision of the United States Railroad Commission the proposed advance in freight rates that was to be general has been prohibited. After advancing the wages of the most of their employees the big railroad systems sought to recoup themselves and shift the increased expense upon the "ultimate consumer" by an advance of freight rates all around. This would have entailed an additional revenue of about \$27,000,000. It is estimated, not a high rate prorata, where divided among the entire population of the country, but as this advance would have caused wholesalers to raise their rates to retailers, and the latter to tuck on some additional cost to the consumer, it will be seen that the "ultimate consumer" would have gotten hold of the poker at its hottest point. Hence the refusal of the Commission to permit the advance is of great importance to the public.

In a way the railroads will come back on the public by adopting a policy of retrenchment and cutting off proposed improvements and expansions. This causes a cessation of industry, which in turn affects the general business of the country. By laying off part of their force the railroads reduce their extra expense in payrolls caused by the increase in wages. In refusing to place orders for steel rails, locomotives and cars, the manufacturing capacity of the country is reduced, and more or less idleness of labor entailed. Thus the railroads are enabled to recoup to some extent their increase in wages, and the public, if protected from an increase in freight rates, gets it in the neck in the way of decreased labor and business. Every increase in the cost of production is borne by the public.

All Live Territory

Those who may be opposed to the new county movement on the grounds that it would increase taxation, should remember that all the territory involved is live territory, that is, it is producing in the way of active mills, mines and manufacturing plants. There is no worked out coal lands of any consequence, or undeveloped coal that is likely to be dormant for any length of time. This gives the property a high assessed valuation, and as all property is now assessed at about its established rate, it is more than likely that the proposed new county would have a lower rate of taxation than any of the counties which would give up territory for the new organization.

Westmoreland county, for example, is a large county, and has a lot of unproductive territory that does not contribute much of the general expenses. This has to be borne by the productive sections, which involves a high tax rate. On the other hand, Allegheny county has more productive territory than any other county except Philadelphia, perhaps, and the tax rate is low in consequence frequently as low as half a mill. This is due to the large industrial developments which make a big valuation - a low tax rate. Another thing to consider is that in the territory of the proposed new county is a good deal of aggregating 150,000 people, so according to all present a big valuation and a high valuation would make a low tax rate.

Everything goes to show that a new county would be a saving in taxation and trouble to the taxpayers of this district, and it will require united and unselfish effort on the part of all the people if the object is attained.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Watch the politicians begin to blossom out suddenly with the most wonderful and biggest variety of good qualities that could ever exist.

Eggs may be lowering in price alright, but nevertheless "settings" of eggs from prize winning chickens are still costing \$8 and \$10. And they wouldn't taste any better than the 24-cent a dozen kind.

There are lots of things we would prefer not to have, but we would rather not have the Black Hand.

Beneath the moon he told his love -
The color left her cheeks;
But on the shoulder of his coat
It showed up plain for weeks.

It seems the Pueblo, Colo., police and requisition papers can't get acquainted.

Charleroi people are getting a good opinion of the way they do things out in Colorado not very fast.

Argentine insistently declares it believes in peace by having still a bigger dreadnaught built.

It is not that the groundhog made a mistake, or is trying to pull the wool over our eyes, but he is a victim of misunderstanding about the weather.

Some people talk dangerous about the barefoot dance because they are afraid it won't be given.

He said he could not read her face,
But kissed her then, instead,
The feat had been accomplished
Her face was surely red.

Japan has ordered 100,000 tons of rice. Can't Capt. Hobson discover that as another reason to prepare for war with them?

PICKED UP IN PASSING

"I was only six years old in my native land in Austria when the war of 1866 broke out between that country and Prussia," said W. A. Miksch, superintendent of the decorating department of the Macbeth-Evans chimney factory. "It was my first year at school, and after hostilities were declared all the scholars at school were employed for two weeks picking lint for use in dressing wounds in the hospitals. Then school was dismissed and the enemy invaded our country. 'As you know the war lasted but six weeks and resulted in the utter defeat of Austria in the one great battle of Konigsgratz. Well do I remember that battle, as our family was at my grandfather's farm that day about twelve miles from the scene of hostilities, and the roar of battle was plainly heard. We were at it in the field pulling flax, and I was carrying water. When the marching was particularly loud the older people would throw up their hands and groans, as each volley meant the killing and wounding of hundreds."

"When the Prussians came in and took possession of the country we soon learned that the people were safer with the invaders in possession than with our own soldiers. The Prussians never looted and paid for everything they took. Our own troops were the real vandals of the war."

"Some years ago when rural mail routes were unknown in the valley," related a Charleroi man the other day, "a burly farmer strode into a valley postoffice, where the postmaster had just taken his office."

"Have you got any letter for Mike Howe?" he asked. The new postmaster looked him up and down.

"For whom?" he snapped. "Mike Howe," repeated the farmer.

The postmaster turned aside. "I don't understand," he returned stiffly.

"Don't understand?" roared the applicant. "Can't you understand plain English? I asked if you had any mail for Mike Howe?"

"Well, I haven't!" snorted the postmaster. "Neither have I a letter for anybody else's cow."

"Few people are aware of the magnitude or wide range of the production of our plant," said Supt. W. S. James of the Macbeth-Evans Glass factory yesterday. "In the factory have we made over 5,000 different articles, and are constantly increasing at the rate of from twelve to fifteen new patterns a week. In the matter of lenses we make every thing from a lens for the smallest bicycle lamp to the largest battleship searchlight. We are working on some government contracts now, and the special inspector who tests all two

TUCK-A-WAY

YOUR Winter Clothes

Our spring stock has arrived and we are showing all the latest styles in 1911 patterns.

Tan is the popular shade for this season. We have a complete line in all shades all styles and all sizes and a price to suit everyone. Get in line early and be first to choose from our complete line for your new spring suit.

L. COLLINS

215 Fallowfield Charleroi, Pa.

lenses is in the community for that purpose

"We have perhaps the most cosmopolitan lot of working people in the country. In one department I noticed the other day that twenty different languages and dialects were spoken. We employ about 1,400 people in our factory here, and our weekly payroll runs from \$12,000 to \$14,000."

Notice to Ice Consumers

Beginning March 1911, we will furnish pure distilled water ice in Charleroi and Monessen for the 1911 season at the following rates:

To Butchers-1. Packed in the refrigerator, 75c Per Ck. 2. Delivered on curb, 66c Per Ck.

To Ice Cream Manufacturers, 66c Per Ck.

Stores, all classes, less than one cake 55c Per Hundred.

Domestic Trade, 50c Per Hundred.

Banks, Dry Good Stores, Pool Rooms, Barber Shops, where ice is used for drinking purposes, 10 lb 3c; 20 lb. or more 50c Per Hundred, daily delivery

Factories for drinking purposes, 35c Per Hundred.

Ice to consumers on platform at the plant 60 Per Ck.

Less than one cake, 25c Per Hundred.

During this season we will handle the retail trade direct from our plant and will make a special effort to see that all customers get satisfactory service.

Artic Ice Company,
17011
Charleroi, Pa.

BASEBALL BINGLES

Don't miss it.

League meeting Tuesday evening.

Have you signed your contract yet?

Frank Buchanan is getting his heaving apparatus in winning form.

"Doc" Patton has not yet attached his signature.

Captain Bob Hess of the Washington Presbyterians is leaping about like a two-year-old. Watch him.

"Abie" Levinson, who performed with the Champion Cincinnati Red Stockings in 1869, has finally promulgated with the Lutherans. He is a corner.

Cap. Wertz dashes around the block twelve time per diem to render his wind comediuous.

Remember

the date and the name and the number of the place

413 McKean Ave.
Charleroi, Pa.

SPECIAL

Men's and Boys' Wool Gloves
50c Values 25c

We Need Money

to pay our bills and we want to discount all bills for our spring stock, and in order to do so, we are offering to the public our entire stock of Clothing, Overcoats, Raincoats and Boys' Clothing.

All Suits, Overcoats, Raincoats
Will be Sold at One-Half Price

Remember

the date and the name and the number of the place

413 McKean Ave.
Charleroi, Pa.

SPECIAL

Men's and Boys' Coat Sweaters
50c, 75c Values 25c

the true value at the opening of the winter season. It will pay you to buy an overcoat and suit at these prices for your next season's wear. The price is right, the style is right, the time is right to buy now. The clothing we are offering at this sale is the celebrated Woodhull, Goodale & Bull Union Made and the well known Alco make. These lines are both guaranteed by the makers and also by our own personal guarantee.

Boy's suits and Overcoats One-Half Price

\$2.50 Suits or overcoats one-half price \$1.25
\$3.00 Suits or overcoats one-half price 1.50
\$3.50 Suits or overcoats one-half price 1.75
\$4.00 Suits or overcoats one-half price 2.00
\$4.50 Suits or overcoats one-half price 2.25
\$5.00 Suits or overcoats one-half price 2.50
\$5.50 Suits or overcoats one-half price 2.75
\$6.00 Suits or overcoats one-half price 3.00
\$6.50 Suits or overcoats one-half price 3.25
\$7.00 Suits or overcoats one-half price 3.50

Men's Suits and Overcoats One-Half Price

\$6.00 Men's Suits or overcoats one-half price \$3.00
\$8.00 Men's Suits or overcoats one-half price 4.00
\$10.00 Men's Suits or overcoats one-half price 5.00
\$12.00 Men's Suits or overcoats one-half price 6.00
\$14.00 Men's Suits or overcoats one-half price 7.00
\$15.00 Men's Suits or overcoats one-half price 7.50
\$16.00 Men's Suits or overcoats one-half price 8.00
\$18.00 Men's Suits or overcoats one-half price 9.00
\$20.00 Men's Suits or overcoats one-half price 10.00
\$22.50 Men's Suits or overcoats one-half price 11.25

Men's Dress Pants

Men's \$2.00 Dress Pants now \$1.48
Men's \$2.50 Dress Pants now 1.79
Men's \$3.00 Dress Pants now 2.24
Men's \$3.50 Dress Pants now 2.48
Men's \$4.00 Dress Pants now 2.98
Men's \$4.50 Dress Pants now 3.19
Men's \$5.00 Dress Pants now 3.39
Men's \$5.50 Dress Pants now 3.48
Men's \$6.00 Dress Pants now 3.74

Men's and Boy's Coat Sweaters

50c and 75c values now 29c
\$1.00 values now 74c
1.25 values now 84c
1.50 values now \$1.14
2.00 values now 1.39
2.50 values now 1.59
3.00 values now 1.79

Men's Dress Shirts

50c and 75c values now 39c
\$1.00 values now 69c
1.50 and \$2.00 values now \$1.14
50c boy's knee pants 39c
75c boy's knee pants 59c
\$1.00 boy's knee pants 74c
Trunks, pags and suit cases
25 per cent reduction.

Men's and Boy's Knit Gloves

25c values now 17c
50c values now 25c
50c boy's cowboy gloves 29c
50c Nancy Hank's suspenders 39c
75c Nancy Hank's suspenders 48c
\$1.50 Sweet-Orr Yellow Ticket Pants 1.35
1.00 men's jean pants 69c
One lot of men's \$1.50 and \$1.75 dress pants 1.14

Men's Soft and Stiff Hats

\$1.00 values now 79c
1.50 values now \$1.09
2.00 values now 1.29
2.50 values now 1.59
3.00 values now 2.39
Men's 10c socks 5c
Large selection of 15c socks 9c
Large selection of 25c socks 17c

Men's Cotton and Wool Underwear

50c and 75c values now 29c
\$1.00 values now 73c
1.50 values now 1.09
2.00 value now 1.39
All our 25c and 35c neckties 19c
Big selection of 50c neckties 39c

Men's Leather Gloves

50c and 75c values now 39c
\$1.00 values now 79c
1.50 values now 1.09

0c Phoenix mufflers now 29c

50c toques, all colors now 35c

25c men's and boy's caps 15c

50c men's and boy's caps 35c

50c Sweet-Orr working pants 44c

Mark your calendar, set your alarm clock, tie a string on your finger, do most anything that will remind you that our great money-saving sale

Will Open Friday, Feb. 24th

We always "make good" at these special sales and old patrons have learned to bank on our statements, while new patrons who come with questioning looks soon change their expression to approving smiles. Nothing reserved at this sale. Nothing put aside as too good. It's a

Closing Out of the Best We Have

We consider it good business to close out each season's stock before the next stock arrives and we make a sacrifice to do it. Read these prices and then we will do it.

L. Campbell Co.

413 McKean Ave.

Charleroi, Pa.

Big Savings

ON ALL WINTER SHOES



\$4.50 to \$5.00 shoes at \$3.98
 4.00 shoes at 3.48
 3.50 shoes at 2.98
 3.00 and \$2.75 shoes at 2.48
 \$2.50 shoes at 2.18
 2.00 shoes at 1.87
 3.00 High top shoes for Boys 2.48
 6.00 Goodyear welt High top for Men 4.48
 4.00 High Top Dayton Shoes 3.48

Several Dozen pair of \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00 shoes at \$1.78 \$2.00, and 2.18

Buster Brown Children's Shoes 10 per cent OFF

Money Saved Is Money Earned

TAKE A LOOK IN OUR WINDOW
 IT IS WORTH WHILE

We have included our RED CROSS spring shoes in this reduction offer, in all Colors, Button or Lace, Bran New Styles of Leather.

All Ladies Dress Shoes at \$3.00 and over, 10 and 15 per cent off until the 28th of February. Also, Brand New Ladies' Oxfords 50 and 75c off regular price.

J. J. BEERENS

For an Honest and Square Shoe Deal

513 Fallowfield Avenue

CHARLEROI

Why You Should Bank With the
BANK OF CHARLEROI

SIXTH—
 We Co-operate with those who patronize this bank in every manner permitted by best and conservative banking methods. We assist by extending credit when credit is due, by advice, by council, giving the customer the benefits of our knowledge and experience and taking an active interest in his welfare.

We have Safe Deposit Boxes for Rent. Three Sizes \$3, \$5 and \$10.

Bank of Charleroi
 Capital and Surplus \$227,500

Fourth Largest Bank in Washington County.
 Open Saturday evenings from 8 to 9

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BELL PHONE 29-J
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Engagement Extraordinary

Direct from 2 years at the Lyceum Theatre, New York

The Sensational Dramatic Triumph of the Century

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THE
THIEF
 By HENRI BERNSTEIN

A Powerfully Gripping Drama of a Woman who Steals to make Herself Attractive

Original New York Production

Prices—25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 \$1.50

Lover

"George Lee and family" who have been visiting Mrs. Lee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Robinson, and other friends and relatives here have returned to their home at Independence.

Mrs. Julia Jackman, near Coal Centre entertained a number of young folks recently.

Mrs. Jackson Carson is ill. Myers brothers have moved their saw mill to the Isaac Deems woods near Garwood.

Mrs. John Carroll and children, near Garwood are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Greer Smith of Atwater, Ohio.

John Fox, who has been ill for some time, is improving.

Thomas Pepper, Sr. of the Ridge is ill.

Stella Morris has returned home from a few days visit at the home of her uncle, Addison Springer of Lock No. 4.

Hiram Robinson spent a few days recently in Pittsburg when he purchased a team of horses.

Mervin Scott has rented the Hiram Sullivan property.

Riosiery Coupon

good for

5c

on any pair of 15c or 25c hose D M

Sale Ends Feb. 28

Our After - Inventory Sale

has been one of the best we have ever conducted, To keep up the good work we will offer these special bargains

FOR 3 MORE ONLY 3 DAYS

After-Inventory Sale

Cash Coupon

good for

10c

on any \$1 purchase, not more than one to a customer D M

Sale Ends Feb. 28

Colonial Tumblers

10c heavy colonial pattern tumblers, full size, ground and polished finish, also 10c glassware with handle, choice each 5c

Sheet Music

About 100 sheets of standard musical compositions that have been used for samples, worth 10c a copy, sale price 3c each

Blanket Sheets

About 100 white or grey fleeced blanket sheets with border; some are damaged or soiled, well worth 35c each, sale price 15c

Fine White Underskirts

One lot very desirable embroidery trimmed underskirts, deep flounce and fine workmanship, well worth \$1.50, sale price \$1

50c Silks Reduced

One lot 50c taffeta silks, eolennes, pongees, etc.—just the thing for waists, scarfs, etc., to clear out the lot, sale price per yd. 19c

Fancy Silk Velvets

Milliners' trimming velvets or fancy waisting velvets worth up to \$3 the yard in one lot for immediate clearance at 29c

Large Hair Pins

50c fine carved hair pins, large top, sale price 19c

25c sets ball top shell hair pins, sale price, per set of two 10c

Flannelette Shirts

Nice warm shirts in dark gray or blue; sizes 14, 14½ only, were 50c, sale price 25c

Large Granite Dish Pans

Extra bargain in a nice seamless grey granite dish pan, well worth 50c, sale price 25c

Ladies' Handkerchiefs

Extra fine "Shamrock Sheer," beautiful fabric, also corded edge lawns or men's cambrics choice, sale price 5c

FREE TO OUR CUSTOMERS While the supply lasts we will give free to each customer asking for it a copy of

Buttericks' Catalogue of Fashions
 32 pages of new Spring Styles

CHOICE FOR

1 card silv'rd hooks & eyes
 1 paper 200 good pins
 1 piece white tape
 1 box carpet tacks
 1 2-2 yd. corset lace
 1 pr. shoe laces
 1 pc handled ironing wax
 1 pocket comb
 1 doz. metal pants buttons
 1 paper needles
 1 writing tablet
 1 box jet head pins

1c

CHOICE FOR

1 bottle Davids' ink
 1 bottle mucilage
 1 zinc oil can
 1 linen corset lace
 1 box rubber hairpins
 1 spool 500 yds basting
 1 card safety pins
 12 doz. hooks & eyes
 1 doz. bone hairpins
 1 box shoe nails
 1 tracing wheel
 1 child's handkerchief

3c

Last Call on Wall Paper

We have about a dozen fine bedroom patterns to close out to make room for our new Spring stock—these are just as pretty as anything you will buy this year for 10c a roll, but we're going to close out the whole bunch at, sale price per single roll,

5c

Borders to match, same price

Seamless Water Pail

10-qt. seamless grey granite water pails, extra heavy grade, well worth 40c, sale price 25c

9-Bar Clothes Horses

\$1 folding clothes horses, only a few left, sale price for three days only, each 50c

WHY PAY MORE?

Clark and Clark
 510-512 McKean Avenue, Charleroi, Pa.



STAR SOAP



Special Value for the Wrappers



Seven-piece glass Berry Set, a new and beautiful design,

For 50 Star Soap Wrappers.

Regular value 100 Wrappers.

To be had at

J. FREW FURNITURE STORE
 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi, Pa.
 OFFER EXPIRES MAY 15th, 1911.

THE PROCTER & GAMBLE CO.

Miss Eva Neasham and daughter Gertrude of Jonestown were recent visitors at Bunola.

Reese Carson and Earl Hopewell have returned from a few days visit at the home of John Hansen, of near Deerfield, Ohio.

MANDO
 Remove superfluous hair from any part of the body. The only safe and reliable depilatory known. Large bottle \$1.00, small 50c. Send for booklet free.

Madame Josephine Le Fevre
 1200 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa.
 Hennings' Drug Store.

Charleroi City Grocery

321 FIFTH STREET

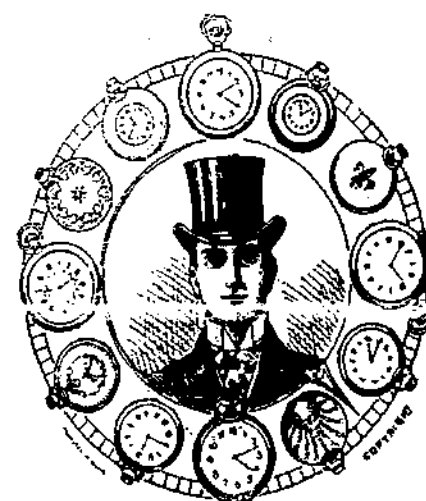
CHARLEROI, PA.

In order to reduce stocks in certain lines, We offer this week.

California Cherries and Apricots.....18c per can
 Export Laundry and Borax Toilet Soaps6 cakes for 25c
 Sweetheart Baked Beans13c per can, 2 cans for 25c
 Dixie Canned Hominy 7c per can

Fresh Country Eggs 25c a Dozen

Use Mail Want Ads. They Bring Results



Nothing else is more important as having your watch correct. If there is anything the matter with your watch or clock bring to H. Porter, Jeweler and Optician, 534 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi, Pa. All work guaranteed for two years. 150 eyes tested free and all kinds of glasses fitted from 25c up; we guarantee satisfaction. Jewelry repairing and Diamond Setting. We are selling all kinds of Watches and Jewelry at a big reduction.

H. Porter

Jeweler and Optician

534 Fallowfield Avenue

Charleroi, Pa.

We Are Headquarters FOR FLOUR—

We buy direct from Millers, and save our customers, the middlemen's profit. If you are a member of our association, the profit we are making on our sales is yours. We Co-Operate, you are helping yourself in helping others.

Actual Prices:
 Matchless flour, per bbl. \$6.10
 " " per 50 lb. 1.55
 sack
 Co-Operators best flour, per bbl. 5.50
 Co-Operators best flour, per 50 lb. sack 1.40

Special price to Bakers and Dealers in 5 barrel lot or more.

The Co-Operative Store
 620 Fallowfield Avenue, Charleroi, Pa.

J. W. BERRYMAN & SON

McCall Patterns CHARLEROI, PA. Phones

Neckwear

Good selection of pretty embroidered collars, jabots, stocks, dutch collars, wind-sor. etc., Priced at 50c and

25c

Gloves

Children's 25c wool gloves and mittens, special at

19c

All Ladie's 50c golf gloves at

39c

Ladie's \$1.25 suede gloves most all sizes special at

95c

Ladie's \$1.00 kid gloves most all sizes (special lot) at

79c

Hosiery

Ladie's good fast black hose in all sizes, an exceptional good number at per pair

15c

Fine quality hose for ladies or children in all sizes, the best on the market at

25c

Underwear

Children's regular 25c ribbed fleeced vests and pants (odd lot) special at

19c

Ladie's fine ribbed fleeced vests and pants, some would mark these at 35c, our special price at

21c

Ladie's 50c fleece lined underwear

39c

Ladie's 75c out size fleeced underwear

59c

Ladie's best 1.50 camel hair underwear special

89c

Regular 75c

silk scarfs in nearly all colors at

48c

Aids to Pretty Hair Dressing

No matter how generous nature has been, you want to aid her. We have a good selection of pins, switches, rolls, nets, etc., to choose from.

Regular 50c

belts, all colors with neat buckles special

35c

J. W. Berryman & Son

CHARLEROI, PA.

Many Visitors

Supt. J. G. Pentz of the Charleroi Schools this morning announced that on Wednesday, known as special visiting day, there were 475 visits made to the schools. Later in the year a Patrons' Day will be observed, when displays of work done by the pupils during the year will be made. The Charleroi schools are in good shape at the present time and good work is being done.

Skelly clean sweep sale now going on at Monessen. 1701

Held For Court

Marshall Lechin, a Belgium living on Meadow avenue, was held for court last night by Justice of the Peace E. E. Rice on a charge of illegal liquor selling. Information was made upon evidence received by Constable D. F. Mathers of North Charleroi. Bail was placed at \$600. There is some rumor that the charge is to be withdrawn.

Just received a barrel of potato chips, McDermott's Fifth street. 1701

LOCAL MENTION

Interesting News Items Condensed for Busy Readers.

Delicious yellow butterine that others sell for 25c. Our price is 20 cents per pound. McDermott's, Fifth street. 1701

Skelly's clean sweep sale now on at Monessen. 1701

D. M. McCloskey, Esq., has returned from a business trip to Baltimore and Washington, D.C.

Skelly's clean sweep sale now going on at Monessen. 1701

Classified Ads

WANTED—Solicitors for the People's Store. Will pay good salary. 17042

WANTED—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping, family of three adults and one child of year and a half. Location not far from the station in good neighborhood. Address with terms, Box 66, Roscoe, Pa. 17041

FOR RENT—Six room house with bath on Fifth St. Call at Charleroi Real Estate Agency company over First National Bank. 1691f

FOR SALE—Three room house, cement cellar, 50 barrel cistern, water in house. Right on car line. Will sell cheap. Address Lock No. 4, Box 72. 1684p

FOR SALE—Five good lots on Meadow avenue, cheap to quick buyer, each lot 40x115 feet, well located for good residences. Charles O. Frye. 1683f

FOR RENT—Southern Exposed Front Room, 610 Fifth street. 1661f

FOR RENT—Store room and two seven room flats with baths and laundry, on McKean avenue. Inquire Charleroi Savings and Trust company. 1601f

FOR RENT—FLAT OF 5 ROOMS AND BATH. HOT AND COLD WATER, STEAM HEAT. APPLY GREENBERGS. 1561f

LOST—Bunch of keys. Finder will be rewarded by returning to Mail office. 1584f



IT'S UP TO YOU

to choose—whether to keep a winning front on every customer in delivering suits new and renewed—perfect finish, style and fit—

TAILORING, CLEANING AND PRESSING that keeps a man in life's winning procession. We're wonder-workers in the above three lines. Prices winners too. Give us one trial, and you will give us another.

H. Melsher
528 Fallowfield Ave.

Ladies

This week is your last chance to buy suits, coats or dresses at reduced prices, don't delay, come soon for time short. We are showing at the same time spring suits, skirts, and lingerie dresses, very latest in the Hobble effects.

EUGENE FAU

Leading Dry Goods Store
514-16 Fallowfield Ave. Charleroi, Pa.

Better Come Today 1/2 Off

A \$10.00 Overcoat for \$ 5.00
A \$15.00 Overcoat for \$ 7.50
A \$20.00 Overcoat for \$10.00

Boy's and Children's Overcoats 1/2 OFF

Men's \$10.00 Suits for \$ 6.50
Men's \$15.00 Suits for \$ 9.75
Men's \$18.00 Suits for \$11.75
Men's \$22.00 Suits for \$14.50

And the same proportionate reductions throughout our entire stock of Boys and Childrens Suits.

GREENBERGS'

5th & McKean Ave.

CHARLEROI, PA

Business Directory

Bell Phone 63-R Charleroi 123-A

MISS BRADEN

Professional Nurse

401 Crest Ave. Charleroi, Pa.

Joseph A. Wheeler

Teacher of Violin

Studio 42 Fallowfield Avenue, Bell Phone 113-J Charleroi, Pa.

J. A. Willson & Co.

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608 Fallowfield Avenue

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15 McKean Avenue

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Manicuring, Shampooing, Hair Dressing and Weaving, Face and Scalp Massaging, Chiropody.

MRS. NEALER

Bell Phone 22-R

206 Fourth St. Charleroi, Pa.

MISS GRACE KEECH

Hair Dressing, Manicuring, Chiropody

604 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi, Pa.

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Monessen New and Second Hand Furniture Store

408 Schoonmaker Ave. Monessen, Pa.

Furniture Bought, Sold and Exchanged

Stoves and all Household Goods.

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—DEALERS IN—

Home Dressed Meats and Produce

Cor. Tenth St. and McKean Ave.

Charleroi, Pa.

READ THE MAIL

BARGER'S SPECIALS

—for—
SATURDAY & MONDAY

Imported China Sugar and Cream Sets, 23c. These are regular 40c values.

We also have a large quantity of Bread Boxes and 25 lb. Sugar Cans. Your choice of either with one can of Empire Baking powder at 50c.

2 lb. bars of pure tallow soap 17c
10 stamps with each bar. 60 stamps with all 60c tea. 20 stamps with each 25c bottle of extract.

Remember this offer is good for Saturday and Monday only.

NEW LOCATION

BARGERS

409 Fallowfield Ave. Both Phones Charleroi, Pa.

READ THE MAIL

We Must

Close Out Our Big Stock
of Shoes Regardless
of Cost

by the fifteenth of March, as we take hold of our Pittsburg store on April first. Since starting our closing out sale on February 11th our sales have been very heavy and far beyond our expectations, but we still have a very complete stock of every grade of Shoes and Oxfords for men, women, boys and girls, and we are able to serve you and your whole family to your entire satisfaction, at a very small outlay of money considering the quality of shoes. As we said above, our immense stock of high grade footwear must be closed out. You are all familiar with the high standard of shoes carried by us at all times. Every desirable grade of shoes in endless variety from the medium staples up to the finest, and all to be converted into cash. All previous low prices have been cut still deeper so as to make speedy disposal of the goods.



ADOLPH BEIGEL

502 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi, Pa.

Double S. & H. Green Trading Stamps
8 to 11 A. M.

\$2.69

For Ladies' Patent \$4.00 Button Shoes

98c

For Ladies' \$2.00 Vici Kid Shoes

\$1.45

For Ladies' \$3.50 Oxfords and Pumps

\$1.98

For Ladies' \$3.00 Shoes in all Styles

\$1.39

For Men's \$2.50 Working Shoes

98c

For Men's Solid Leather \$2.00 Shoes

98c

For Boys' Box Cali \$2.00 Shoes

\$1.98

For Men's \$3.00 Dress Shoes

Just a Few of Our Many Bargains
Double S. & H. Green Trading Stamps 8 to 11